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In re Application of Harris

Application Number
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For: System and Method for Verifying Commercial Transactions

Group Art Unit **Examiner** **Kemper, Melanie**
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, March 25, 2004, rejecting the following claims: 1-12, 14-28, 30-44, and 48-53.

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